### WESTFIELD REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION RESOLUTION NO. 2-2015

## RESOLUTION OF THE WESTFIELD REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION AMENDING THE DECLARATORY RESOLUTION OF THE SOUTHSIDE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AREA

**WHEREAS,** on July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013, the Redevelopment Commission (the "Redevelopment Commission") of the City of Westfield (the "City") adopted Declaratory Resolution No. 5-2013 (the "Original Declaratory Resolution") establishing the Southside Economic Development Area (the "Original Area") as an economic development area under Indiana Code 36-7-14 and Indiana Code 36-7-25 et seq., and all acts supplemental and amendatory thereto (collectively, the "Act"); and,

WHEREAS, the Original Declaratory Resolution (i) identified certain parcels of real estate to be included in and designated as the Original Area as required by Indiana Code 36-7-14-41, (ii) approved an economic development plan for the Original Area (the "Original Plan"), (iii) found that the Original Plan conforms to other development and redevelopment plans for the City, (iv) found that no Original Area residents will be displaced due to the Original Plan, and (v) designated the Original Area as an "allocation area" to be known as the "Southside Economic Development Allocation Area" as required by Indiana Code 36-7-14-39 (the "Original Allocation Area") and approved and incorporated the Factual Report (the "Original Report") supporting the Original Declaratory Resolution and the Original Plan presented at the July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013 meeting of the Redevelopment Commission, which Original Plan contained specific recommendations for economic development of the Original Area, including road, infrastructure and drainage improvements to the Original Area and related improvements and equipment serving the Original Area as further described in the Original Plan (the "Original Project"); and,

**WHEREAS,** on August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2013, the Redevelopment Commission submitted the Original Declaratory Resolution, the Original Plan and supporting data to the Westfield-Washington Advisory Planning Commission (the "Plan Commission") and the Plan Commission issued its written Order 13-03 approving the Original Declaratory Resolution and the Original Plan as submitted; and,

**WHEREAS,** on August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2013, the Common Council of the City (the "Common Council") approved the (i) Order 13-03 of the Plan Commission, (ii) Declaratory Resolution No. 5-2013, (iii) and approved the creation of the Original Area and approved the actions of the Redevelopment Commission establishing the Original Area pursuant to Indiana Code 36-7-14-16(b) and Indiana Code 36-7-14-41(c); and,

**WHEREAS,** on August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2013, after publishing notice of and conducting a public hearing in accordance with the Act, the Redevelopment Commission adopted Resolution No. 7-2013 confirming the Original Declaratory Resolution; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Redevelopment Commission now desires to further amend the Original Declaratory Resolution and by the adoption of this Resolution (the Declaratory Resolution, as amended hereby is hereinafter referred to as the "Declaratory Resolution"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Commission proposes to further amend the Declaratory Resolution to remove certain parcels or portions of parcels from the Southside Economic Development Area (collectively, the "Parcels"), as described in <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto and made a part hereof, all in accordance with the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Parcels are located within the Southside Economic Development Area and the boundaries of the Southside Economic Development Area need not be increased as a result of the removal of the Parcels; and

**WHEREAS,** the actions proposed by this Resolution will produce a net reduction of the Southside Economic Development Area; and

WHEREAS, after being fully advised in the matter,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Westfield Redevelopment Commission, as follows:

- 1. The Commission hereby amends (i) the Declaratory Resolution to remove the parcels and portions of parcels, as described in Exhibit A hereto, from the Southside Economic Development Area (the "Amendment").
- 2. The Commission hereby finds that the boundaries of the Southside Economic Development Area are hereby revised to give effect to the removal of the Parcels from the Southside Economic Development Area and that the activities in the existing Southside Economic Development Plan are unchanged by this Resolution.
- 3. Upon consideration of the evidence and findings presented to the Commission, the Commission hereby finds the Amendment to the Southside Economic Development Plan, as set forth in Sections 1 through 2 of this Resolution, will benefit the public health and welfare of the citizens of the City and the State of Indiana and is reasonable and appropriate when considered in relation to the original Plan and the purposes of the Act, and hereby approves the Amendment.
- 4. The Commission hereby finds that the Southside Economic Development Plan, together with the proposed Amendment described herein, conform to the Comprehensive Plan for the City.

- 5. This Resolution shall constitute an amendment to the Declaratory Resolution and the Southside Economic Development Plan and is incorporated into the Southside Economic Development Plan by this reference thereto.
- 6. In all other respects, the Declaratory Resolution and the Southside Economic Development Plan, as amended by the Amendment, shall remain in full force and effect.
- 7. The Commission may exercise its authority pursuant to the Act for the purpose contemplated by the Amendment herein, including but not limited to the development and redevelopment of the Project within the Southside Economic Development Area, all for the purposes set forth herein.
- 8. This Resolution shall be submitted to the Plan Commission of the City, pursuant to Indiana Code 36-7-14-16(a), for its approval of the removal of the Parcels from the Southside Economic Development Area, whereby upon written approval by the Plan Commission, the Plan Commission's order approving the removal of the Parcels shall be submitted to the Common Council for approval pursuant to Indiana Code 36-7-14-16(b).
  - 9. This Resolution shall be effective upon its adoption and passage.

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# ADOPTED AND PASSED THIS 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2015, BY A VOTE OF \_\_\_\_ IN FAVOR AND \_\_\_\_ OPPOSED, BY THE WESTFIELD REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION, HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA.

	By:	Joseph Plankis, President
	By:	Joseph E. Ingalls, Vice President
	By:	Scott Robison, Secretary
	Ву:	Jill Doyle, Member
	By:	Doug Holtz, Member
ATTEST:		
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This resolution prepared by:		
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#### Exhibit A

## MAP AND DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL PORTIONS REMOVED FROM THE ORIGINAL SOUTHSIDE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AREA

Exhibit 1 Map of Portions of Parcels Removed (2 pages)

Exhibit 2 List of Portions of Parcels Removed (1 page)

#### Exhibit 1



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Parcels Removed
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Portion Removed

Present Parcel Outline

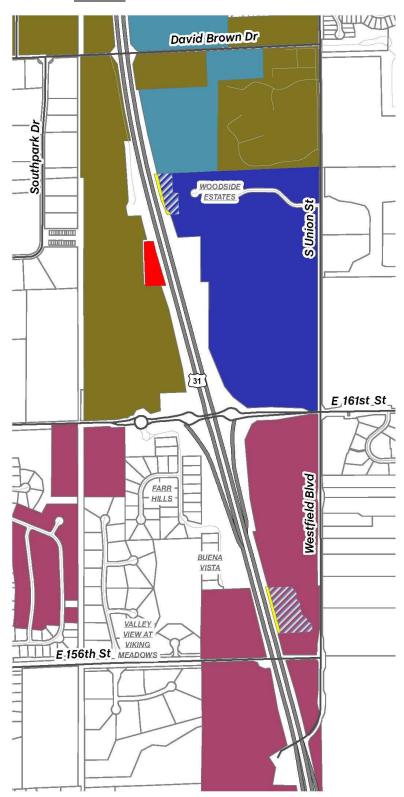
**Economic Development Area** 

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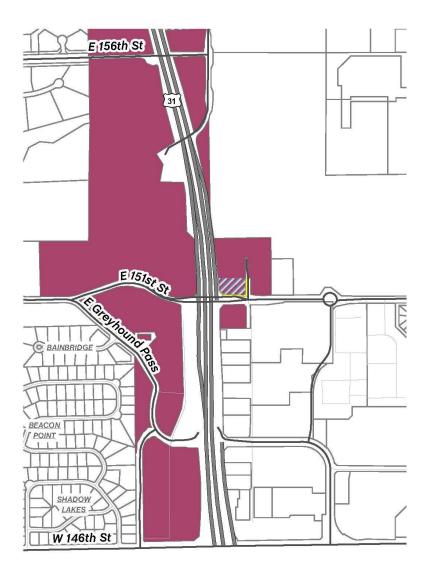


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#### Exhibit 2

#### **Portions of Parcels Removed**

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